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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application - Filing Date Granted mailed December 12, 2001, Applicant submit herewith:

1. Return copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted;
2. Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney for Burton A. Babb and Alan J. Babb;
3. Petition for One-Month Extension of Time;
4. Check in the amount of \$616.00 (\$496.00 for filing fee; \$65.00 for surcharge fee and \$55.00 for one-month extension fee); and
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Respectfully submitted,

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$126.
  - \$126 for 3 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 561.**

*A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.*

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